



Monday, May 12, 2014
Regular Business Board Of Education Meeting

◇ **Recognition of District 88 Successes**

88's Best Students

88's Best Students Abby Meinen from Addison Trail and Rokas Dubinas from Willowbrook were recognized for the month of May. The students were congratulated on their many accomplishments. The students thanked the Board, their teachers and their families for their support. As a token of their achievements, Abby and Rokas were given an 88's Best glass sculpture and a certificate.

◇ **Discussion Items Requiring No Action**

- ✦ List of Bills for April 2014.
- ✦ Adopt the early taxes resolution.
- ✦ Approve financial institutions as designated bank depositories for 2014-15 school year.
- ✦ Purchase custodial supplies for Addison Trail, Willowbrook and District Office.
- ✦ Purchase athletic and PE supplies for Addison Trail and Willowbrook.
- ✦ Approve contracts for athletic trainer services at Willowbrook and Addison Trail.
- ✦ Purchase grounds equipment for Addison Trail.
- ✦ Renew certification of hazardous bus route conditions.
- ✦ Personnel

CERTIFIED STAFF RETIREMENT:

- Margaret Wealton, Willowbrook Special-Education Teacher, effective at the end of the 2018-19 school year, at which time Margaret will have completed 11 years of service with District 88.

CLASSIFIED STAFF RETIREMENTS:

- Rita DeFilippis, Willowbrook 10-Month Student Supervisor, effective June 2016, at which time Rita will have 27 years of service with District 88.
- Nancy Oskin, District Office Executive Assistant, effective June 30, 2016, at which time Nancy will have 20 years of service with District 88.

CLASSIFIED STAFF RESIGNATIONS:

- Nelda Byers, Willowbrook Administrative Assistant to the Assistant Principal, effective June 30, 2014.
- Patricia Picardi, Willowbrook 10-Month Student Supervisor, effective June 12, 2014.

INTERN STAFF APPOINTMENT:

- Christine Palumbo, Willowbrook School Psychology Intern, effective for the 2014-15 school year.
- Lindsay Poole, Willowbrook School Psychology Intern, effective for the 2014-15 school year.

◇ **SEPARATE ACTION Items, which included the following, were approved by the Board:**

- ✦ Roof Replacement at Willowbrook from R.B. Crowther Roofing.
- ✦ List of Bills Exceeding \$5,000.00.
- ✦ Fundraiser Exceeding \$1,000.00: Willowbrook Football selling Willowbrook attire to buy varsity home jerseys.
- ✦ Amendment of 2013-14 School Calendar.
- ✦ Adoption of Student Behavior and Bullying Policies for the 2014-15 school year.

◇ **Information/Discussion Items**

✦ Student Fee Changes for 2014-15

Mr. Edward Hoster, Chief Financial Officer/Chief School Business Official, outlined the student fee changes for the 2014-15 school year. The proposed fee changes show an increase in Student Parking, Driver Education and Technology.

✦ Educational Focus Items for May 19, 2014

Educational Focus Items for the May 19 Board meeting will include Koch and District 88 Art Scholarship recipients, and PPS Interventions-Home Visits.

✦ Freedom of Information Requests

The following Freedom of Information requests were received:

A request from Art Sears, SEIU Local No. 73, Member of District 88 Custodial/Maintenance Negotiation Team, for Board Recommendations/Proposals from: 1) the first meeting of each bargaining unit (i.e., Teachers Contract, Teacher Aides Contract and Secretarial/Clerical Contract); 2) each additional meeting with the above specified bargaining units; and, 3) final Board Recommendations/Proposals that were agreed upon by each of the above specified bargaining units that ultimately became the final contracts. This request was denied, as the items are exempt from FOIA.

A request from Ms. Katie Varnado, Midwest Director of Sport Medicine from ATI Physical Therapy, for the current sports medicine and athletic training services provider, services they offer the district and the price they are charging for such services at Addison Trail High School and Willowbrook High School, and copies of contracts. This request was fulfilled within the allowed timeframe.

✦ Illinois School Security Grant Update

Dr. Scott J. Helton, Superintendent of Schools, informed the Board the district received \$50,000 from the Illinois School Security Grant. The grant was awarded through the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA). The grant supports security measures that will enhance the safety of students, staff and visitors.

◇ **School Recognition**

✦ Addison Trail

- Congratulations to Stefani Scimeca and Anthony Pham on their outstanding performance at Business Professionals of America (BPA) National Leadership Conference in Indianapolis! Stefani placed 3rd in the Nation in Accounting using Quickbooks, earning a medal and plaque. Both Stefani and Anthony participated in the Network Design Team event and finished in 5th place, earning a medal for their performance. Congratulations to all on a job well done!
- This past Saturday, students from various clubs and sports participated in the Park Pride Cleanup.

◇ **School Recognition**

✦ **Addison Trail - continued**

- Last weekend's Annual Plant Sale was a huge success. If you are looking for a few plants, see Mr. John Turner.
- Recognition Assembly is May 23, 2014, where students, staff and retirees will be recognized for their efforts.
- Congratulations to the following gymnasts, who qualified for State: Marco Martinez, Parallel Bars and High Bar; Marcus Rias, Vault; Akash Patel, Vault; Daniel Baeza, Vault; R.J. Infusino, Rings; and Alfredo Torres, Floor! Best of luck at State!
- Congratulations to the following members of Girls Track for their performance at the WSC Meet last Thursday: 2nd place in 400m -Lynette Banuelos; 3rd place in 100m Hurdles -Lauren Kroll; 1st place in 100m Dash & Long Jump and 2nd place in Triple Jump -Kaleen Smith; 1st place in 200m Run -Lauren Kroll; 1st place 4x100 team - Janely Sanchez, Kim Schonder, Maria D'ugo and Lauren Kroll; 1st place 4x200 team - Kaleen Smith, Jamie Borscha, Yulisa Vivero and Lauren Kroll!

✦ **Willowbrook**

- Civitas Induction took place last week. Congratulations to the new inductees!
- The bands and showchoir performed last Thursday and Friday, respectively.
- The Annual Art Show begins Tuesday, May 13, with various festivities.
- Orchestra performs on Thursday, May 15. Come hear them play.
- Congratulations, Econ Challenge! The team finished 1st in the State and 17th in the Nation.
- Tyler Rusnak placed in the top 1 percent of the Finance event at the international DECA Competition in Atlanta. Congratulations!
- Congratulations to Cody Panfil and Jon Brunner, who finished 3rd in State at the Ford/AAA Troubleshooting Competition!
- Girls Badminton won the Sectional Championship and will compete at State on Thursday. Congratulations, and best of luck!
- Congratulations to the following gymnasts, who took 4th in Sectionals and qualified for State: Brett Golz, Floor and High Bar; Colton Bach, Vault; Corey Coman, Pommel Horse; and Keawe Winstead, Sectional Champ on Pommel Horse! Best of luck at State!
- Girls Track and Field finished 3rd in Conference, with Jada Stills, Discus Conference Champ and 4x4 Relay Conference Champs: Molly Krazekowski, Shannon Jones, Kayla Denwood and Taylor Burton. Congratulations!

Board Of Education Meeting Dates

All meetings are at 7:30 p.m. in the District 88 Boardroom

Monday, May 19, 2014: Educational Focus Board Meeting

Monday, June 9, 2014: Regular Business Board Meeting

